

Re: Fw: Upper Cement Creek/Silverton/Animas River

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Jim/Howard - the team is meeting on related topics tomorrow. BLM and CDPHE are coming to the office on Monday. I would like to think this through at least til then, before giving you a recommendation re this interest. It might be worth meeting with them as I think we need a high level conversation to discover what Sunnyside/Kinross really intends with the offer that they have made to participate in the contamination at Cement Creek. Although Kinross/Sunnyside has already articulated that they will fight listing, it may be that we could get them to tell us how they would like to spend the \$ both technically and administratively. We will discuss this and I will get back to you as soon as I have some feedback re the benefits/disadvantages of meeting with them.

Jim Martin---01/18/2012 08:37:42 AM---Martin -- your call on the wisdom of doing this. Jim

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Martin -- your call on the wisdom of doing this.

Jim

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Dear Administrator Martin:

At this point in the process of the Upper Cement Creek/Silverton/Animas River matter, I think it would be beneficial for me, and possibly our Lauren Roberts, to have the opportunity to introduce Sunnyside Gold to you or Mr. Cantor. A letter suggesting such a meeting is transmitted herewith. For background, I also attach our letter of 4 October 2011.

Please let me know if a meeting such as I suggest would be agreeable.

Thanks in advance.

Greg

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